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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Tabares et al.

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For: **METHODS, SYSTEMS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR  
INSTANTIATING A DEVICE DRIVER FOR COMMUNICATION WITH A  
DEVICE BY DYNAMICALLY ASSOCIATING THE DEVICE DRIVER AT  
RUN-TIME WITH A DEVICE-SPECIFIC AND/OR SERVICE-SPECIFIC  
SOFTWARE COMPONENT**

November 5, 2001

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

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